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NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the power Conferred by Section 117 of the Sikkim Cooperative Societies Act, 1978 (12 of 1978), the State Government hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Sikkim Cooperative Societies Rule, 1981, namely :-

Short title, extent

1. (1) These rules may be called the Sikkim Cooperative Societies (Amendment) Rules, 2012

and

commencement

- (2) They shall extend to the whole of Sikkim.

- (3) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. In the Sikkim Cooperative Societies Rules 1981, after sub-rule (1C) of rule 9, the following sub-rule shall be inserted, namely :-
"1(D) In due regard to the existing system of the Traditional Institution of Zumsas prevalent in the two villages of Lachen and Lachung in the North District of the State, the formation of cooperative societies with entitlements under sub-rules (1A) (1B) and (1C) above shall not apply to the two villages of Lachen and Lachung".

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